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FM AMEMBASSY DUBLIN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 4530

C O N F I D E N T I A L DUBLIN 414

E. O. 11652 GDS

TAGS: ETRN, PFOR, EI

SUBJ: CIVAIR - LANDING RIGHTS

REF: STATE 4262

1. AMBASSADOR HAS MADE MESSAGE CONTAINED YOUR 4262 FORTHRIGHTLY CLEAR IN SEPARATE HOUR- LONG MEETINGS WITH PRIME MINISTER COSGRAVE, FOREIGN MINISTER FITZGERALD AND MINISTER OF TRANSPORT AND POWER BARRY, PLUS MEETINGS BY DCM WITH PERMSEC FONAFF MCCANN AND PERMSEC TRANSPORT AND POWER O RIORDAIN.
  2. TODAY WE RECEIVED DIPLOMATIC NOTE FROM FONMIN FITZGERALD. FULL TEXT CABLED SEPARATELY TODAY IN OUR 4529. NOTE CONCEDES U. S. LANDING RIGHTS DUBLIN AS PER OUR REQUEST, I. E., ( - ) ONE AMERICAN CARRIER; ( B ) NO ONWARD RIGHTS; AND AND ( C ) MANDATORY STOPS SHANNON IN EACH DIRECTION AS LONG AS ANY OTHER AIRLINE AUTHORIZED TO OPERATE BETWEEN DUBLIN AND UNITED STATES IS REQUIRED TO DO LIKEWISE.
  3. WITH REGARD TO OUR PROPOSALS CONCERNING CHARTERS GOI CONCLUDED THAT ON BALANCE THIS WOULD BE DISADVANTAGEOUS FOR REASONS STATED IN THEIR NOTE. THEY PROPOSE INSTEAD THAT THEY BE PERMITTED OFF- ROUTE
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CHARTER ACCESS TO THOSE AMERICAN CITIES WHERE THEY PRESENTLY HAVE SALES OFFICES, WHILE BEING ALLOWED TO RETAIN POLICY OF FIRST REFUSAL AT NEW YORK, BOSTON, CHICAGO. RETENTION OF THIS POLICY WILL ALSO BENEFIT PANAM AND TWA.

4. IN CLARIFYING THEIR NOTE MCCANN STATED GOI WISHES ENTIRE AGREEMENT, INCLUDING PROVISION OF STATUS QUO ANTE FOR THEIR NEW YORK LANDING RIGHTS, TO BE INCORPORATED INTO 1945 BILATERAL BY EXCHANGE OF NOTES. IN ORDER PROVIDE STABILITY THEY REQUEST LETTER OR OTHER WRITTEN ASSURANCE THAT INTENT OF PARTIES IS THAT ISSUES SETTLED BY THIS AGREEMENT WILL NOT BE REOPENED IN NEAR FUTURE, IN ANY CASE, NOT FOR PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS.

5. GOI ESPECIALLY REQUESTS SECRECY IN ORDER AVOID POLITICAL AND OTHER REACTIONS HERE UNTIL AGREEMENT FINALIZED AND PUBLIC OPINION PREPARED, WHICH VERY ESSENTIAL FOR NEW GOVERNMENT. MCCANN SAID THEY WILLING TO WORK OUT EXCHANGE DRAFT OF NOTES WITH US IMMEDIATELY.

6. AMBASSADOR'S RECOMMENDATION FOLLOWING SEPTTEL. MOORE

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